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CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

Christmas Cheer and The Christmas Spirit in Wauseon—Our First Municipal Christmas Tree—How To Keep the Christmas Spirit Through The Year.

Christmas Day for the year 1915 has come and gone but we believe that the Christmas cheer and the Christmas spirit still lingers in Wauseon and more than this we hope that it may remain through every day of the coming year of 1916.

This hope is strengthened by the ready and warm hearted co-operation which has prevailed in our community this year in the effort to help everyone to have some part of the Christmas cheer and comfort. Everyone has seemed to be ready to help. The prevalence of the Christmas spirit was manifest in the hearty response which met the proposal of the Civic Club that Wauseon have a Municipal Christmas Tree. The Booster's Club, the Toledo and Indiana Railway Company, the Mens Class of the Methodist church, Ministers, City Officials and Teachers and Children all worked together heartily that Wauseon might have a Christmas tree that should be for everybody with no one left out.

Last Friday night, on Christmas Eve the tree stood on Fulton street as the evidence of the successful result of the co-operation and good will of those who inaugurated and carried forward the movement. Our first Municipal Christmas tree, a "weather man" seemed to enter into the conspiracy and the heavy snow of Friday afternoon and evening helped to make things in Wauseon look Christmasy.

Before eight o'clock a large crowd not to be kept indoors by even the heavy and persistent snow storm, had gathered about the tree. The carolers sang and a welcome to Christmas and the many colored lights of the Christmas tree shown forth as the emblems of the lights of good will and cheer that glowed in the hearts of the people who surrounded the tree. Superintendent Altstetter gathered the children about the tree and led by their teachers they sang the music of their young voices in the happy songs of Christmas time. Divine blessing was invoked and Mayor Hoy in a few well chosen words formally presented the tree to all the community. Mr. Altstetter followed in a short talk in regard to the acceptance of the tree in the spirit of good will which it was given, the assemblage joined in singing the old time Christmas hymns and our Christmas tree was an established and accepted reality.

It would be difficult to find very many people of this community as they look at the beautiful tree as it stands at the heart of our town who do not wish that it may be the first of a long series of trees that shall shine year after year in this village. Those colored lamps were the idea of Mayor Hoy who has an eye for Christmas and failing to find any colored bulbs in town had them colored.

But the Christmas tree is not the only reminder of Christmas in Wauseon. The Civic Club have been busy. The Methodist Sunday School turned over the gifts which were brought in on their "Giving Christmas Sunday" to the Civic Club and this contribution helped the club in filling fourteen baskets of provisions for homes where they were needed. Fifty children were given a brighter, happier Christmas by the gifts sent them by the Club and the twenty-three inmates of the Infirmary were remembered with a Christmas treat. The Club was assisted in the distribution of baskets by one Boy Scout, Walter Sturgeon and Messrs. Henry Schlatzer and D. W. Myers with their automobiles.

The Congregational Sunday School distributed eleven baskets of provisions and there are others who helped to spread the Christmas cheer in and about Wauseon.

This same spirit of good will may be kept in the community through all the year if everybody who has entered so heartily into the Christmas campaign to make other people happy and to relieve need and want will keep right on along the same line all through the year. The Civic Club desires to do all that it can to relieve cases of destitution and to provide the necessary and comforts for those who are without them especially the children who are in need. A good way to help the club in this

work is to notify some one of the relief committee which consists of Mrs. Chas. Jordan, Mrs. F. H. Wolf and Mrs. W. W. Touelle of any cases of real need of which you may know.

MRS. EUSTACE LEGGETT.
Mrs. Eustace Leggett, who resided just south of the Chesterfield town house passed away Tuesday morning December 21. The funeral was held on Friday the 24th at Inlet church; she was laid to rest in the beautiful Oak Grove cemetery at Morenci.

Mrs. Leggett was one of the widest known and best beloved women in Chesterfield township and her passing away will be universally regretted by a host of old friends and neighbors. Probably no other woman had more friends than this kindly sociable lady whose life was most exemplary and whose faithful loving disposition won for her friends by the legion. She had been in failing health for the last five years and the last few weeks it was evident the end was near. Everything that doctors skill and tender care could suggest were done but of no avail and as the sun came over the tree tops she passed into the great beyond. While we cannot see beyond the veil we feel that all is well with mother.

Ann Maria Fulton was born June 15th, 1848 in Mansfield, Ohio and about the year 1884 she came with her parents P. V. and Martha Downs Fulton to Pioneer, Williams County, Ohio, where she resided until on June 10th, 1906. She was married to Eustace Leggett and came with him to Chesterfield, Ohio, where she has resided up to the time of her death.

In the winter of sixty-five and sixty-six she joined the Methodist church at Pioneer, Ohio, in 1875 there being no Methodist church nearer than Morenci, Michigan. Mrs. Leggett, on her own Clinton H. dying in Chesterfield church which she attended until failing health prevented regular attendance. She always kept her faith and quietly fell asleep.

She leaves to mourn their loss, a husband, Eustace Leggett, two daughters, Mrs. Isaac Shipman, Mrs. Fred Weatherly and one son John P. Leggett, on Clinton H. dying in infancy and three grandchildren and hosts of relatives and friends.

As forest leaves when winds are rife
Are floating on the river,
So friends up on the stream of life
Must part though not forever.

We see the stars of hope arise
From summer seas of bliss,
And see them winking from our skies
As sunbeams banish dew.

And though we look through mists of tears,
Fond hope this comfort brings,
Faith sees the stars and love still
The best of angels wings.

And though we weep this truth is ours
Best boon to mourner's grief,
That she who faded with the flowers
Will bloom again in Heaven.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all who so kindly assisted us during the illness and death of our dear wife and mother; to the minister for his comforting words, the singers for their appropriate songs and the donors of the flowers.

EUSTACE LEGGETT.
MRS. L. E. SHIPMAN.
MRS. F. WEATHERLY.
JOHN P. LEGGETT.

GEORGE REICHHARDT.
On Thursday December 23rd, Mr. Carl Reichardt and Miss Leah George were joined in marriage. Rev. J. A. Wharton performed the ceremony at the Christian church parsonage. Both bride and groom are well known in and about Wauseon and have many friends who wish them well. They expect to make their home in Wauseon.

OUR JITNEY OFFER—This and So.
DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this little enclosure with five cents to Foley & Co., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup, Foley Kidney Pills, and Foley Cathartic Tablets. Pink & Haumesser.

Wauseon, Ohio, Dec. 30th 1915

To our Customers and Friends,—

We extend to you the Greetings of the New Year, and our sincere wish is that all may enjoy Health, Happiness and Prosperity thro-out all the days of 1916.

We thank the public for the splendid patronage accorded us during 1915 and our endeavor shall be to make our store of still greater service to all during the coming year

Very truly yours,

IVES-PIKE CO.

JANUARY TERM

The First Term of Common Pleas Court of Fulton County For 1916 To Begin Monday January 3rd—Jury-men Drawn for Service During This Term.

There will be three terms of Common Pleas Court in Fulton county during the year 1916; known as January Term, March Term and October Term. The first of these, the January Term will open next Monday, January 3rd, at 10 o'clock a. m. when the following grand jury will meet to consider cases presented by the prosecuting attorney:

Glen Wegst—Dover.
C. A. Knapp—York.
Fred Whitcomb—Pike.
L. J. Loveland—Dover.
A. Borton—Dover.
Benjamin Stoner—Gorham.
James Bratton—Swan Creek.
Harry N. Wyse—Gorham.
C. J. Lane—Chesterfield.
Frank Woolson—Gorham.
A. L. Ford—Gorham.
Charles Leist—Clinton.
Alva Crew—Clinton.
Geo. Lee—Chesterfield.
N. J. Butler—Chesterfield.
The Petit Jury for the January term will meet January 10th at 10 a. m. Twenty names were drawn from the wheel; the first sixteen to report for duty on January 10th and the last four to be called as needed.

H. Guy Flickinger—Fulton.
Henry Dowling—Fulton.
A. N. Lott—Dover.
R. E. Innes—Franklin.
George Hallett—Pike.
John Theobald, Sr.—German.
Ed. Dalley—York.
E. G. Wright—Amboy.
J. P. Shaffer—Amboy.
Joseph Perry—Clinton.
C. C. Welton—Clinton.
Frank Stubbins—Chesterfield.
Grant Bonnell—Clinton.
Henry Prickett—Gorham.
Edgar Ritchie—Amboy.
Adolph Brehm—Franklin.
Willard Driscoll—Royalton.
S. J. Elton—Swan Creek.
C. F. Mills—Fulton.

Clerk of Courts, Davis B. Johnson has just issued the "Bar Docket" in the January term, to the court officials, members of the Bar and Attorneys who have cases in this court. A glance at this issue of the bar docket is sufficient to convince that under the new system of a resident judge for each county the business of the court is expedited and not much litigation is left to drag along after term, unfinished. Former issues of the Bar Docket contained exactly thirteen pages; these are devoted to cases and three of these pages are blank for the convenience of entering new cases as they may come into court.

The resident judge is on duty practically all the time and necessary legal procedure is not kept waiting because the court is not at hand to attend to it; the result is that litigants are saved time and annoyance and the taxpayers are saved money.

G. W. HULL.

One of the Pioneer business men of Wauseon passed away Thursday when Mr. George W. Hull died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Charles Humphreys on East Elm street. Mr. Hull has been an invalid for some time past and on Sunday, December 19th, he had the misfortune to fall and break one hip; the fall seemed to hasten his death which occurred as stated above last Friday.

Mr. Hull was born in Franklin County, Pennsylvania July 23rd 1843 and had attained the age of seventy-two years and five months. He was the son of George and Elizabeth Hull and came with his parents to Ohio in 1847 on the journey being made "overland" in what was known as a "prairie schooner."

The family settled on a farm in Adams county where they remained until 1863 when they moved to Van Wert, Ohio, where George W. Hull had a young man of twenty years earned the shoemakers trade which he followed for several years after which he was associated with a brother, M. R. Hull, in a general store at Napoleon.

In 1867 he with his brother moved to Wauseon and established a mercantile business which they continued to conduct for twenty-five years, selling the business at the end of that time to Spencer and Stemple.

In 1866 Mr. Hull was united in marriage to Abigail Rebecca Neikirk, who died June 18th, 1891. To this union was born four children, three dying in infancy, leaving one daughter, Mrs. Verna Humphreys, the only surviving child. He was one of a large family, consisting of five brothers and three sisters of whose brother, H. S. Hull of Traverse City Michigan, and one sister, Mrs. Wm. Osborn of Van Wert, Ohio, survive. Besides these he leaves two granddaughters, Gail and Marjorie Humphreys.

Funeral services conducted by Rev. Frank E. Kenyon, assisted by Rev. J. A. Wharton were held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Humphreys on Sunday afternoon and interment made in Wauseon cemetery. Former business associates acted as pall bearers. There were present at the service from out of town, Mr. Henry S. Hull of Traverse City, Michigan; Mr. and Mrs. Neikirk of Bryan and Messrs. J. M. and Fred Longnecker of Delta.

STRONG AND WELL AS EVER
Fred Smith, Green Bay, Wis., says: "Foley Kidney Pills completely relieved me of all soreness and pain in the back and I am now as strong and well as ever." Cold weather makes aching joints, sore muscles and irregular bladder action more unbearable. Foley Kidney Pills help the kidneys eliminate pain-causing poisons. Fink & Haumesser.

The Old Year and the New

HARLOWE RANDALL HOYT

THE New Year comes. The Old Year goes. Adown the pathway of the years, beneath his pack of joys and woes, Of festal smiles and April tears, Across the fields with snowdrift white, The Old Year passes on tonight.

A TWELVEMONTH past we welcomed him. A New Year he, one year ago, But now his eye is weak and dim. He totters on with footstep slow, His voice, complaining on the breeze, Comes in the groaning of the trees.

WE watched him grow. The winter time Ebb'd into spring, and summer, then We saw him pulse with virile pride. When autumn fields were ripe again, And now, we view him at the last, Nipped by December's chilling blast.

WELL, let him go. His race is run. He was a goodly Year, indeed. So let us toast him, every one. And bid the wanderer "God-speed!" Old Year, a final health to you! You were a comrade, tried and true.

THE Old Year goes. The New Year stands Before the door and waits us here. Ho, bring him in with welcome hands. The Year is dead! Long live the Year!

SILLY CRIMINAL LAWS.

Perhaps no phenomenon of modern life is more marked than the prevalent mania for penal regulation of the petty details of conduct. There seems to be no human action that somebody does not want to prohibit. With the intemperate exponents of the cohorts of Cotton Mather have reincarnated in Sunday observance in Sunday observance leagues. But around these central figures of sumptuary legislation circles a host of minor meddlers. Prohibitions under penalty of fine and imprisonment of the use of books and sheets less than a statutory length and of the use of crated china in like institutions are but samples of the absurdities that have already found their way on the statute books.

Major Smedley Darlington Butler led the expedition against Riviere, and to the 5th Company, under Captain William W. Low, was assigned the task of making the main or frontal attack. This company delayed at a distance of about 1200 yards from the fort and advanced upon it in extended order. The Caco fire was continuous but the aim of the attacking party of Marines was so deadly that they were enabled in a very short time to get into position from which the fort could be stormed.

Major Butler then ordered the fort dynamited and when the last stones of the old structure were destroyed, the revolutionary hopes and ambitions of the north Haiti Cacos were buried beneath the ruins of Riviere.

Coughs and Colds are Dangerous.
Few of us realize the danger of Coughs and Colds. We consider them common and harmless ailments. However statistics tell us every third person dies of a lung ailment. Dangerous Bronchial and Lung disease follow a neglected cold. As your body struggles against cold germs, no better aid can be had than Dr. King's New Discovery. Its merit has been tested by old and young. In use over 45 years. Get a bottle to-day. Avoid the danger of serious Lung ailments. Druggists.

FORD-BORTON.
On Thursday afternoon last Mr. Lyell R. Ford and Miss Daisy M. Borton both of Fayette, were united in marriage. Rev. J. A. Wharton, minister of the Christian church officiated. They will make their home in Fayette, where the congratulations of the many friends are being extended to them.

If your harness needs oiling bring it in now and we will take care of it. CHAS. F. STOTZER.

COUNTY AFFAIRS

Court House News For The Week—

Cases in Probate Court—Marriage Licenses—Real Estate Transfers—Orders Drawn on Treasury—New Cases in Common Pleas Court.

Probate Court.
Guardianship of Barbara Rupp, final account confirmed. Guardian discharged.

Estate of George Leininger, Sr., application for letters of administration filed. Bond filed and letters of administration issued to Aaron Leininger and August Rupp. Henry Fagley and Jacob Ehrat are appointed as appraisers.

Will of Mary J. Reed, hearing continued.

Estate of Austin K. Ford, second partial account filed. Hearing set for January 24th, 1916.

Will of Mary M. Dinius, application for probate filed. Hearing set for December 29th, 1915, at one o'clock p. m. Notices issued.

Estate of Virginia Du Bois, inventory and appraisal filed. Colateral inheritance tax finding certified to County Auditor.

Mrs. Emma Miller made application for mothers pension. Hearing set for February 1st, 1916, one p. m.

Guardianship of William L. Radway, found necessary to appoint guardian. Application filed. Bond filed. Letters of guardianship issued to G. A. Boger and inventory filed.

Estate of Mary B. Howard, inventory filed and confirmed.

Trusteeship of David Merrill, application and bond filed. Letters of authority issued to Jacob Merrill, under authority of will of Susan Merrill, deceased.

Estate of Samuel A. Miller, private sale bill of personal property filed and confirmed.

Estate of John L. Douglas, private sale of personal property reported and confirmed.

Estate of Clara Clifton, 2d partial account filed. Hearing January 24, 1916.

Guardianship of Joseph Snyder, 2d partial account filed. Hearing January 24, 1916.

Elmina Hann, et al vs The D. T. & L. Railway Company. Citation for appropriation proceedings filed.

Marriage Licenses.
Arthur R. Mohr, 26, farmer, Metamora, Ohio, and Vera L. Hackett, 21, Metamora, Ohio, Rev. David Martz, officiating.

Marion P. Johnston, 20, farmer and Lillian M. Baker, 19, both of Swanton, Ohio, Rev. Harry Clark, officiating.

Tomer C. Peterson, 26, farmer, and Anna M. Snyder, 25, both of Wauseon, Ohio, Rev. J. A. Wharton, officiating.

Alvin G. Whitton, 35, farmer, Lyons, Ohio, and Edna F. McBride, 23, Delta, Ohio, Rev. W. T. Williams, officiating.

Harry J. Leatherman, 26, farmer, Colton, Ohio, and Hans F. McBride, 23, Swanton, Ohio, Rev. Ed. Johnson, officiating.

Carl Reichardt, 25, laborer and Leah M. George, 19, both of Wauseon, Ohio, Rev. J. A. Wharton, officiating.

Fred C. Neidhardt, 23, farmer, Wauseon, Ohio, and Flossie Mae Yee, Pettisville, Ohio, Rev. H. E. Plahn, officiating.

Lyell R. Ford, 26, painter and Daisy M. Borton, 26, both of Fayette, Ohio, Rev. Wharton, officiating.

Alvin G. Whitton, 35, farmer, Lyons, Ohio, and Edna F. McBride, 23, Delta, Ohio, Rev. Wm. Clark, officiating.

Arthur B. Shambarger, 23, farmer, Delta, Ohio, and Lavernie M. Griesinger, 23, Delta, Ohio, Rev. Whitlock, officiating.

Kenneth M. Whaley, 22, teacher, Maumee, Michigan, and Ruby Velma Hawkins, 22, Wauseon, Ohio, Rev. B. G. Bowman, officiating.

Real Estate Transfers.
Julius Trondie and wife to Bert Van Wazer, 24, wife, 372 acres, Newcomer's addition, Wauseon, \$4500.

Alice Becker to Fred W. Seck and Minnie Deck, lots 2 and 3, Garney's first addition, Metamora, and other land, \$1.

George E. Dennis to Scott Smith, two fifths acres land, section 17, Raylton township, Lyons, Ohio, also lots 53 and 54, Plainfield's addition, Lyons, Ohio, \$8.

Wm. Keiser and wife to Sophiah Schleicher, lot 2, Murphy's addition, Pettisville, Ohio, \$140.

Larinda D. Miller to John T. Stevenson and wife property Delta, Ohio, \$900.

Elizabeth Yohnke to Amiel Grim, 20 acres, section 36, Fulton township, \$2900.

Michael Seiler, et al to Jacob C. Leu, 36 2-100 acres, section 34, Franklin township, \$1.

Edwards Stiegel to Sophiah F. Schleicher, lot 1, Murphy's addition, Pettisville, Ohio, \$120.

Ezra S. Harroun and wife, to Arthur Ranger, lot 24, Linehan and Peter's addition, Lyons, Ohio, \$1.

Warrants Drawn.
E. B. Robinson, Insp. I. O. H. 301 \$ 43.75

C. G. Caulkins, Insp. I. O. H. 21 40.25

Stephen O'Blaskey, ditch 1112 149.00

Jennie Figg, mothers pension 6.00

I. L. Coy, doctoring poor 50.00

A. L. Ford, ditch 1118 80.00

W. J. Garrett, repairs, C. H. 13.25

Mary Sullivan, soldiers re. 4.00

Florence McGowan, mothers pension 12.00

Ives-Edgar-Pike Co., supplies for Surveyor 5.60

N. W. O. Tel. Co., tolls 7.45

Geo. Porter, ditch 1106 19.05

L. W. Lee, ditch 1119 273.24

E. H. Hill, plumbing 5.52

C. O. Eastman, ex. Bd. Elec. 5.50

John Weber, ditch 1105 40.50

Eugene Disbrow, ditch work 3.00

Edw. Wilcox, ditch work 13.20

Wayne B. Harris, treasurer, Wauseon 2000.00

JULIUS WILEY CASE.

Mr. Herman Case arrived in Wauseon with the body of his brother Wiley Case on Christmas night, after a long and tedious journey from Phoenix, Arizona, where after a struggle to regain his health which has continued through nearly four years during which time he remained isolated from his family and friends, at or near Phoenix, Arizona. A physician notified his brother, some two weeks ago that the end might come at any time and Herman started immediately for Phoenix, reaching his brother's home on December 21st. Wiley Case is remembered by many Wauseon residents as one of the brightest and best of the Wauseon boys, manly and industrious, working faithfully to help his widowed mother to keep the family consisting of himself, his younger brother and his two sisters together; the passing of such a Wiley Case is always a real loss to society and the community as well as to the family.

Julius Wiley Case, eldest son of William David and Phia Marsh Case was born at Delta, Fulton county, Ohio, July 10th, 1884, died at Phoenix, Arizona, December 21st, 1915, aged thirty-one years, five months and five days. After the death of his father, in 1899, he remained for a short time with his mother, sisters and brother in Wauseon, then moving with the family to Toledo he engaged in service with the Pennsylvania Railway Company with which company he was connected at the time he went to Phoenix, Arizona, for his health in 1911.

In his early life he united with the M. E. church of Plainville, Michigan, always remaining true and steadfast to the teachings which he embraced so early in life. His father and mother having preceded him to the Great Beyond, there remain to mourn their loss, two sisters, Loraine and Allene Case and one brother, Herman Case.

Funeral services were held Sunday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Case, conducted by Rev. Frank E. Kenyon, Mr. Lena Curry and Mr. J. A. Wharton. Interment was made in Ottokew Cemetery. Besides the sisters, Misses Loraine and Allene Case, a number of friends from Delta those from out of town who were present at the funeral, were: Mr. Sterling and Miss Mabel Taylor of Toledo, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Taylor of Chicago.

WAR UPON PAIN.

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March, 1915 At Druggists, 25c.

H. AND F. MEETING.

Fulton County Horticultural and Floricultural Societies will hold their next session at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Waters, near Als, January 6th. The following subject will be discussed:

What should be the purpose of Human Life? We should be able to give a Good Reason for our Existence. Current Events.

IRMA SHARP, President.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

December 28, 1915.
Mr. J. C. Croninger, Chas. Caylor, Mr. E. L. McCracken, Mrs. W. H. Smith.

EMIL WEBER, P. M.

We have just got in our second shipment of blankets. If in need of a horse blanket call and see us. C. F. STOTZER.

CHILDREN'S SEWING.

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NOTICE.

All bills against the hospital must be presented on the first day of each month. 38-1-c CHAS. P. GRISSIER, Secy.

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